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SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. This supplemental Examiner's amendment is to correct a typographical error. Seronegative spondylarthropathies and inflammatory bowel diseases should be seronegative spondylarthropathy and inflammatory bowel disease, respectively.
2. An Examiner's Amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to Applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 C.F.R. § 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the Issue Fee.
3. Authorization for this Examiner's Amendment was given in a telephone interview with Susan E. Lingenfelter on July 25, 2006.

In the Claims:

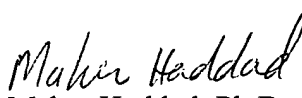
1. Claims 24-28 have been canceled.
2. In claim 1, the phrase "and further wherein the patient's condition is selected from the group consisting of psoriatic arthritis; arthritis nodosa; seronegative spondylarthropathies, and inflammatory bowel diseases" has been deleted.
3. In claim 1, the phrase "an autoimmune or chronic inflammatory condition" has been replaced with -- psoriatic arthritis, arthritis nodosa, seronegative spondylarthropathy or inflammatory bowel disease -- .
4. In claim 3, the word "condition" has been replaced with -- seronegative spondylarthropathy -
- .
5. In claim 4, the word "the condition is psoriatic arthritis" has been replaced with -- the psoriatic arthritis is treated -- .
6. In claim 5, the word "condition" has been replaced with -- inflammatory bowel disease -- .
7. In claim 6, the phrase ", IL-1 α , IL-1 β , or IL-4" has been deleted.
8. Claims 1-23 are allowable.
9. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Maher Haddad whose telephone number is (571) 272-0845. The examiner can normally be reached Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 4:00 pm. A message may be left on the examiner's voice mail service. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are

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